

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RESPONSE TO

REQUIREMENT

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Applicants: Takeshi HONDA et al.

Appl. No.: 10/053,727

Filed January 24, 2002

For DATA TRANSMISSION APPARATUS

> CONTROLLING TRANSMISSION OF A) REQUIRED AMOUNT OF DATA AND A) DATA TRANSMISSION CONTROL

METHOD THEREFOR

Atty. Dkt.: **KAT 237**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Election/Restriction Requirement mailed on December 10, 2007, Applicants provisionally elect Group I, i.e., the subject matter of Claims 1-10 for further examination. The election is made without traverse.

Examination of the application on the merits respectfully is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

January 2, 2008

Date

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